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| 1. AMBASSADOR ADDOU TOLD ME TODAY THAT REAL PURPOSE OF FREDERICKS VISIT IS TO SEE WHETHER SUFFICIENT GROUND EXISTS FOR COMPROMISE BETWEEN ETHIOPIA AND SOMALIA TO WARRANT EFFORT BY DAVID ROCKEFELLER TO MEDIATE DISPUTE. POSSIBLE ROCKEFELLER MEDIATION ALLEGEDLY SUGGESTED BY NEWSOM. ACCORDING ADDOU, ALLEGED ECONOMIC PURPOSES OF VISIT ARE LARGELY "COVER" FOR FUNDAMENTAL POLITICAL MISSION FOR USG. ADDOU EXPECTS PRESIDENT SIAD TO RECEIVE FREDERICKS MARCH 13. |
| 2. WOULD MUCH APPRECIATE KNOWING HOW MUCH BASIS ADDOU HAS FOR HIS ASSERTIONS AND EXTENT TO WHICH FREDERICKS ACTING ON BEHALF OF USG. |
| 3. WOULD LIKE IF AT ALL POSSIBLE TO HAVE RESPONSE BEFORE MY INITIAL TALK WITH FREDERICKS MARCH 12. KIRK |
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